

REMARKS


In response to the Restriction Requirement dated November 19, 2004, Applicant elects Group I, Claims 1-17.

Claims 18-20 are canceled. Applicant reserves the right, without prejudice, to file a divisional, continuation or continuation-in-part directed to these claims. New method claims 21-24 are added. Support for the amendment can be found throughout the specification, and for example, on pages 6-7 and Figure 2. No new matter is introduced by way of this amendment. Accordingly, upon entry of the present amendment, claims 1-18 and 21-24 will be pending.

Consideration of the elected claims and the new claims 21-24 is now requested.

The Director is authorized to charge any fees due by way of this Amendment, or credit any overpayment, to our Deposit Account No. 19-1090.

Respectfully submitted,
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